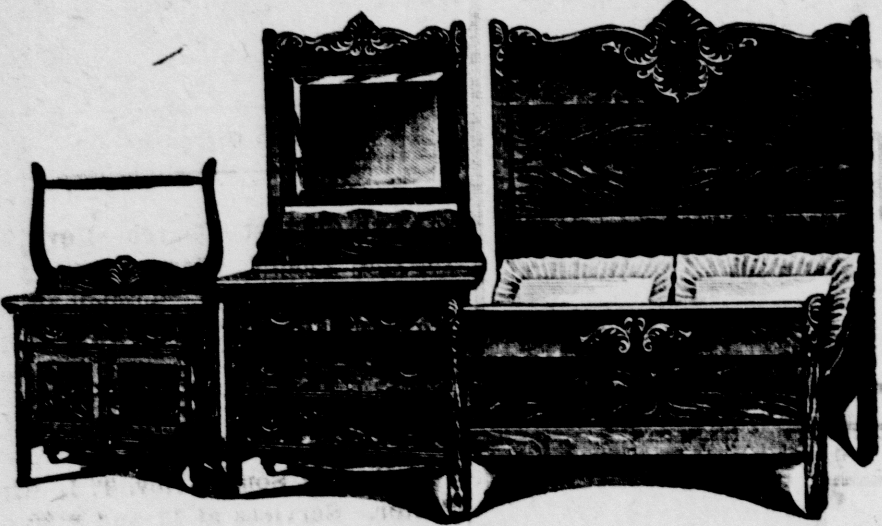


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CARRY FIGHT TO WASHINGTON

Democrats and Prohibition Forces Alert to the Conspiracy of Carpet Baggers and Liquor Men.—Will Guard Constitution all the way Through.

Oklahoma City, Sept. 20.—The Oklahoma election situation has now cleared sufficiently to determine just how great is the democratic majority. In democratic headquarters is posted seventy-four counties, which upon revision show an estimated majority for Haskell over Frantz of 31,110, with one county, Cimarron, to hear from.

Nearly all the counties' votes are reported complete, but cannot be accepted as official until the county canvassing boards complete their review of the ballots, which, under the law, must have begun not later than 10 a. m. today. Owing to the length of the ticket and heavy ballot in many localities. This work may not be closed until Monday.

The anticipated statement of returns from republican headquarters was not forthcoming today, owing to the incomplete tabulation of figures. At 6 p. m. Chairman Hunter reported advances from 1,700 precincts and that Frantz was showing his usual lead over the remainder of the republican ticket

violators. The Oklahoma law is specific in imposing penalty for fraud or manipulation. If the republicans are looking for action, they have but to say so and we will assist in the prosecution. Their charges are moonshine. We will concede them if necessary, everything they have openly claimed, and then Haskell has been overwhelmingly elected. The democratic majority in my opinion, will be above 35,000.

At prohibition headquarters today the minimum majority for the statewide amendment is placed at 31,000. After the revision of the estimates before relied upon, in a number of instances which have been increased, the committee sees at least 19,500 majority in Oklahoma, with five northwestern counties to hear from, and 11,500 in Indian Territory. Late revised majorities for prohibition are Tillman county 1,452 and Jackson county 1,610.

Dinwiddle to Washington.

Rev. E. C. Dinwiddle, legislative

If you did not get to attend our showing of Fall Dress Goods and Ladies Ready-to-wear Garments on Friday or Saturday, come in during next week and let us show you through.

Our stock is very complete and we are sure that we will be able to please you.

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The auditors may be able to complete their work late tonight, when Mr. Hunter states the figures are to be announced.

Republicans to Meet.

A special meeting of the state republican committee has been called for Wednesday, September 25, at the Headquarters here. Its purpose is announced as important business. Other than this the committeemen are not informed, but it is understood to be a council over the recent election in which will probably be determined what course to follow. Attorneys are now at work upon the evidence on file for an opinion concerning the situation.

At the democratic headquarters the belief is not shared.

"If there has been any violation of the election law, as Chairman Hunter claims," said Chairman Thompson tonight, "the democratic organization will join with him in convicting the

superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League who managed the statewide prohibition campaign in Oklahoma, left tonight for Washington, where he will prepare to block any attempt seeking to prevent the admission of Oklahoma to the Union. He charges that such attempt will be made.

In a statement issued from state prohibition headquarters tonight Mr. Dinwiddle said:

"Up to this day we have absolutely kept aloof from the partisan issues in the past campaign. We have had a great many good friends of prohibition, republicans as well as democrats, who urged us, as soon as the constitution was framed, to fight for the prohibition would fail if the constitution was defeated. At that time the issue was partisan and we refused on the ground that the constitution was sure to be adopted, so great was the desire for statehood, and even if it failed and prohibition should carry we would get a statewide instead of



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only an Indian Territory and reservations provision in the next enabling act.

"The Tulsa convention of the republicans came on and they failed to make the rejection of the constitution a party issue. Under these circumstances we were not called upon to make a decision as to any change in our attitude, as every informed man in the two territories knew the constitution was certain of adoption.

"The saloon men throughout Oklahoma opposed the constitution as a means of preventing prohibition, and I have information that makes me morally certain that the brewers and liquor element have now joined forces with those elements in the republican party which have pecuniary or other personal reasons for opposing statehood.

"I am now thoroughly convinced that to remain longer indifferent or idle on this proposition would be construed as a failure on our part to protect the interest of the prohibition cause, which triumphed on Tuesday by 30,000 majority. Besides this, it is no longer a party question. Practically all the democrats and almost half the republicans supported the constitution at the polls. It is a question of statehood, of justice to a million and a half of people who want, and by all

the tokens deserve, the boon of self-government.

"The liquor men who have been defeated in a fair fight by the people at the polls, are now resorting to this method of staving off or even defeating by preparing to appeal to the president to refuse this constitution and proclaim statehood.

"They may not get out in the open, but the cloven foot is none the less apparent. I believe the rights of the people of Oklahoma, backed by the best citizenship of the state and by the moral and Christian forces of the nation as they will be, will weigh more with the president than the disgruntled liquor forces and selfish political schemers who are fighting against the people's rule.

"It is not a question of men. The issue of an honest election and the question as to who is elected can be settled in the courts. It is above all a simple question as to whether the people of this state shall be longer prevented from exercising the rights of self-government, to which their character, energy, resources and population justly entitle them in this struggle. They ought to, and in my judgment will, have the sympathy and active support of the best people of all parties and of all sections throughout the land."

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Entered as second-class mail matter March 26, 1904, at the post office at Ada, Indian Territory under the Act of Congress March 3, 1879.

Jointists, Notice.

It seems that the majority of the Ada jointists have thrown down the gauntlet and declared war on The News. Because The News advocated statewide prohibition, certain jointists have abused—even cursed us—when we were absent. One of the malt drink sellers, after he had heard The News brother, Carlton Weaver, make a speech in which he advocated State-wide prohibition, came to the office and countermanded an order he had previously made for a lot of stationery. It is presumed that they intended to put us out of business. The News accepts the implied challenge and it correct in its inference, enters cheerfully into the contest to see who will first quit business.

We Take It Back.

Yesterday The News told a big story about M. L. Sowers, "a staunch republican," shooting his fine rooster because the fowl crowed too lustily the morning after the election. It's not so, and The News has got to take it back. Sowers is not a republican, neither did he shoot the chicken. The News is deeply penitent for libelling Mr. Sowers so. The fact is, some republican in Ada did kill his rooster because he crowed, and some one of those Sunrise people know who it was. That's as far as the News knows now, after standing corrected.

A New Editor.

We have made mention into this world of many babies, but this week we have, for the first time the pleasure of announcing to the News readers that a new editor will have charge of the paper, the young fellow having been born to the editor and his better half Monday morning in the city of Dallas, Texas. Mother and child are doing nicely. We will not state the condition of the father.—Stonewall News.

The Ada News waves congratulations to the parents and salutations to Yeager, the younger.

Stonewall Also Wants It.

Says the Stonewall News: In all probability Stonewall will get another railroad. The surveying corps of the M. O. & G. R. R. is not far from this city and indication are that they are headed this way. The M. O. & G. is a road surveyed from Muskogee southwestward, with its southwestern terminus at El Paso. The grading has been finished from Muskogee to Dustin. I. T. Stonewall should by all means secure this road.

EVERY SCALP BUT MCGUIRE'S.

Bird S. Will be only Republican in Oklahoma's Delegation.

Oklahoma City, Sept. 20.—Democratic headquarters claim a sweeping victory for both state and congressional tickets, except in the first district, where Bird McGuire, (Rep.) is conceded his election by 1,500 votes. This district, the committee claims, when made by congress, was reputed to be republican by from 3,000 to 6,000. The returns today show the election of Fulton (Dem.) in the second district, over ex-Governor Ferguson, from 950 to 1,050 majority, with one county (Cimarron) to report. Fulton is accredited with carrying twelve of the fifteen counties in the district, also claimed as being 3,000 republican when laid out by congress.

In the third district State Chairman Thompson claims the election of Davenport (Dem.) of Vinita, over Hubbard (Rep.) of Muskogee, from 1,300 to 2,000.

W. W. Sledge is confined to his home with inflammatory rheumatism. "Pal," the faithful night watchman, noted badger fighter, and chief among Ada dogs, left today over the Katy for Norman, where he will continue his university work. He will enter the sophomore class this year. He seemed to have made many friends in Ada during his vacation months, and he will no doubt be sadly missed.

The streets were crowded today with farmers, who seemed to be busy trading.

Farmers' Meetings.

The M. K. & T. Ry. is out with circulars announcing a series of farmers' meetings in the Territory, where at there will be instructive lectures by prominent speakers on subjects of peculiar interest to the farmer. One of the meetings will be held at Ada October 2nd.

Want Murray for Speaker.

Tishomingo, I. T., Sept. 21.—President Wm. H. Murray has received letters of congratulation from all parts of the state, and pledges to support him for speaker of the first legislature.

Results in Seminole.

Seminole county more than any other county is allied with Pontotoc in both commercial and political interests. These counties are in the same legislative and judicial districts, several citizens of Ada have business interests across the Canadian, and possibly more than a hundred democratic farmers once lived within a trade radius of Ada. Therefore it will be of some interest to The News readers to be informed of the outcome of the Seminole election.

The total vote cast was 2,709. The county though considered republican by several hundred majority, under the special management of Chairman Barrum, went democratic on an average of 350 majority. Wewoka cast 395 votes, Konawa, 364, Seminole 326, and Sasakwa 226.

In Lincoln township, adjoining Wewoka, there were elected four negro township officers. The white democrats, it is said, are preparing to move from this township.

Tom Dodson, former citizen of Ada, was elected sheriff. Gus Pool, nephew of the Pool boys in Ada, was elected county clerk, leading the ticket.

The majority of A. T. West was 345, of R. M. Roddie, 338 and of E. S. Ratliff 327.

The majority for the constitution was 703, for Haskell 255, and for prohibition 210. The News congratulates the democratic committee and press of Seminole.

Marriage Licenses.

Walter C. Lovelady, 21, Ada, and Ada Price, 21, Ahloso.

John W. Crow, 48, Conway, and Lizzie Saddle, 30, Conway.

Wm. I. Shockley, 38, Pontotoc, and Wolford Clements, Mill Creek.

J. W. Barrett, 31, and Ora High, 20, Tyrola.

Heard 15 Applications.

Major Cusey, representing the Indian Agent, spent two days instead of one in Ada hearing testimony on applications. Fifteen applicants appeared before him this time. The major left today for Sulphur.

This information is assured by Seth K. Cordan, Davenport's campaign manager. There is said to be no question over Carter and Ferris, democratic candidates in the Fourth and fifth districts.

At republican headquarters only the Red River districts are conceded to the democrats.

Democrats now insist they will have 114 members on joint ballot in the first legislature.

FOUND—A stray pony. Call at the News office and pay for this ad and we will tell you where it is. 157-2t

GENTLE IN HIS CRITICISM.

World Would Be Better For More Men Like Ephraim Farlowe.

The shortcomings of his neighbors never troubled Ephraim Farlowe. He found so many excuses for them that it seemed in the end as if none but the most ill-natured person would presume to mention them in a spirit of criticism.

On his farm Mr. Farlowe employed the same rose-colored glasses which made the views of life so pleasant to his gentle eyes.

"Kind of a roving critter, she is," he said one day, referring to a cow which had wandered from pasture and led him a chase of several miles. "Seems to like variety; but I tell ye, it beats all what an eye she's got for slightly spots to locate. Where I found her 'twas so pretty, I declare I felt to praise her for leading me up there."

There was a hen which would have tried the patience of any ordinary farmer beyond the endurance limit, but Mr. Farlowe found a good deal to admire in her.

"She's got ambition beyond any other hen I ever saw," he remarked one day, as he followed the hen's hasty exit from the parlor. "Stands to reason there's something out of the common in a hen, that'll start in to lay an egg in my Sunday hat. Course I had to shoo her out of it, but I don't know as I blame her any."

One day the cow which had such an eye for slightly spots kicked violently while Mr. Farlowe was milking her, sent the pail flying so that all the milk was spilled, and overturned the stool.

"I declare," said Mr. Farlowe, after a moment's silent contemplation of the ruin his favorite had wrought. "I don't know but that I shall have to give in that she is kind of thoughtless, now an' again."—Youth's Companion.

Afarich and Whitman.

T. B. Aldrich knew Walt Whitman and liked him personally, although he would never admit that Whitman was a poet except in here and there a single phrase. Many a time has the present writer endeavored to convert Mr. Aldrich from this state of heathen blindness as to Whitman's genius, but the debates used to end illogically with Mr. Aldrich's delightful story of a certain \$9 which Whitman once borrowed from him—magnificently, but, alas, irrevocably—in Pfaff's restaurant in Broadway.—Atlantic Monthly.

TRICK NOT ALWAYS AMUSING.

Sometimes Hubby Is Entirely Unable to See the Joke.

This is a simple trick, and every married woman can perform it; but it requires the assistance of a confederate with a big bag of shining tinware on his back. First get a husband with an extra pair of slightly worn trousers in his wardrobe; then have the confederate—the man with the bag of tinware—come to the back door and knock gently. The wife must then peep out in a frightened way, and immediately the man with the tinware tells a tale that resembles a mining stock advertisement. The wife stops to think a few minutes. Suddenly she must rush to the wardrobe, but only after the man rattles the brilliant tinware to arouse her. The wife must walk back to the man again with the trousers. The man must take them and hand the wife a few tin pans. All the while the man with the tinware must smile happily. At last the transaction is completed, and presto change! the husband's trousers have disappeared and in their place appears some tinware on the kitchen table. This trick is very novel, and will amuse the husband greatly. The trick should not be performed while the husband is in bed, unless he has an extra pair of trousers.—F. P. Pitzer, in Judge.

"I GUESS" AND "CALCULATE."

Expressions Are Good English and Not at All American.

The accepted manner of defining Americans, either male or female, in the London comic papers or in second-rate English novels is to laud their speech plentifully with "calculate" and "guess," and with "well" at the opening of each sentence. This mode of marking, or any other, is in itself totally unimportant, but linguistically it is not without interest, for while it is purely conventional as now used and has no relation to any American habits of the present day, whether good or bad, it is pleasant to note that the hard-worked insular humorist need not have gone so far afield to find the words necessary for the identification of Americans. They really had but to turn to the "New Letters" of Thomas Carlyle (volume 1, page 178) and there read the following sentence: "He has brought you a Fox's book of Martyrs, which I calculate will go in the parcel to-day; you will get right good reading out of it, I guess."—Scribner.

Worshippers Carry Fire.

While seeing many people leaving the cathedral I entered to look around the interior of the fine chancel. Inside I saw numbers of men carrying huge wicker baskets filled with triangular earthenware dishes in each of which still smoldered some glowing embers in a bed of white ash. These they carried into the cloisters and emptied solemnly into great metal bins. On reentering the building the secret stood revealed. Owing to the extreme cold each member of the congregation hires for a doppelgänger, or the sum of 2d., an earthen dish with a block of glowing peat under the little wooden perforated footstools with which each chair is provided.—Tit-Bits

Penalty of Vanity.

Two tadpoles lived in a meadow pool. One tadpole was exceedingly vain and kicked around until he developed a pair of pale green legs and arose to the dignity of a frog. The other tadpole was sluggish. "Hurry up!" said the new frog. "Why, you are the slowest thing in all the meadows. Without legs you will never be noticed." "And that is just why I am not raising them," replied the slow tadpole. "It doesn't always pay to be noticed." And now the slow tadpole still swims among the rushes while his vain brother has long since been served up on crisp toast.

He Was an Exception.

The late Bishop James Newbury Fitzgerald, in an address in St. Louis, once declared that sympathy, far more than eloquence or learning, made for success in the ministry. "Too many of us," he said, "say the worst, the most inappropriate things. Thus a young Baptist friend of mine, condoling with a housebreaker in a jail, droned: 'Ah, my friend, let us remember that we are here to-day and gone to-morrow.' 'You may be; I ain't,' the housebreaker answered shortly."

Fresh Food in the Country.

"The late Senator Pugh," said a Mobile man, "thought the charms of the country overrated. He preferred the city to the country. He used to tell how, one June day, he met a friend who had taken a house for the summer months outside New York somewhere. 'I suppose you revel in fresh eggs and vegetables out there, eh?' said Senator Pugh. 'Yes,' said the New York man. 'Why, we can get all those things at Scraggs Four Corners almost as cheap as we did in town.'"

Care of a Canary.

When moving a canary from a small to a larger cage, you should take the trouble to satisfy yourself that the bird is not frightened in its new habitation, for it sometimes happens that it is absolutely afraid to fly down from its comparatively lofty perch, and thus gets starved to death because it cannot reach its food. If you see your bird in this dilemma, try and coax it down; and if it will not come, take hold of it gently and deposit it on the floor of the cage.

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First Baptist Church—Rev. T. B. Harrell, Pastor. Services every Sunday, at 11 and 3:30. Sunday school at 10:00 a. m. B. Y. P. U. at 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting every Wednesday night

Methodist, South—Rev. T. L. Rippey, Pastor. Services at 11 and 8:30 every Sunday. Sunday school at 9:45. Epworth League: Junior, 6:30, Senior, 7:30. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening.

Immanuel Presbyterian U. S. A.—J. R. Brown, Pastor. Services at 11 and 8:30 every Sunday. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Christian Endeavor 8 p. m. Sunshine Society at 2.

First Presbyterian—Rev. C. M. Robertson, Pastor. Services the first, third and fourth Sundays of each month. Sunday school at 9:45. Junior Christian Endeavor, 4:00 p. m. Prayer meeting and choir practice every Wednesday evening.

Second Baptist—Rev. G. W. Jefferson, Pastor. Services first and third Sundays in each month. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Prayer meeting every Tuesday evening.

Christian—Bro. E. L. Kirtley, Pastor. Services every Sunday at 11 and 8. Sunday school 9:45. Choir practice and prayer meeting every Wednesday night.

THE LODGES.

Royal Arch Masons—Ada Chapter No. 26 meets Saturday night two weeks before the full moon. Gus Angelly, H. P., Lee Daggs, Sec.

A. F. and A. M.—Ada Chapter No. 95 meets on Saturday night on or before the full moon in each month. C. F. Little W. P., Chas Powers, Sec.

Ada Commandry No. 6, K. P.—Stated Conclave third Friday night of each month. F. C. Sims, E. C., Duke Stone Sec.

I. O. O. F.—Meets every Thursday night. Sol Moss, N. G., C. M. Chauncey, Sec.

K. P.—Meets every Thursday night at I. O. O. F. Hall. J. W. Dean, G. G., A. H. Constant, K. R. S.

W. O. W.—Meets on first and third Monday nights at I. O. O. F. Hall. Chas. Norton, C. C., George West, Clerk.

M. W. A.—Meet the first and third Friday evenings of each month at the I. O. O. F. Hall. George F. High, V. C., P. C. Duncan, Clerk.

Twenty-Five Thousand Club—Regular meeting nights the second Monday night in each month. E. H. Lucas, President, J. E. Bills, Sec.

Eastern Star—Ada Chapter No. 74 meets on Thursday night on or before the full moon in each month. Mrs. Jno. Brents, W. M., Jno. Brents, W. P.

Ladies of Maccabees—Meets on Saturday afternoons at three o'clock every other week at the I. O. O. F. Hall. Mrs. Tom D. McKeown, L. C., Mrs. Ella Gother, R. K.

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North Bound.

No. 512—Eastern Express. 9:35 a. m.
No. 510—Meteor. 4:55 p. m.
No. 504—St. Louis and Kansas City Passenger. 11:43 p. m.
No. 515—Sherman Express. 3:05 a. m.

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No. 509—Meteor. 9:35 a. m.
No. 511—Texas Passenger. 8:23 p. m.

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Says the best way to accumulate money is to resolutely save and bank a fixed portion of your income, no matter how small the amount. Suppose you, follow the advice of Carnegie who started in life poor and open an account with

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PERSONAL MENTION

C. S. Arnold, attorney, was here from Atoka.

Have your grocer send you a sack of White Wonder Flour. 157-tf

Mrs. G. A. Luellen of Konawa is a guest of Mrs. T. J. Chambliss today.

J. W. Byrd came in from Konawa for the week end at home.

Colorado cabbage and beets at Mill-huff's. 150-tf

City Attorney T. P. Holt attended to business in Coalgate today.

Ask your neighbor about White Wonder Flour. 157-tf

T. T. Fullerton of Asher, Okla., is a visitor in his old home town today.

Mrs. J. A. Marlin went to Ardmore this morning to visit with her mother.

Have you tried White Wonder pure soft wheat flour? 157-tf

A. L. Fentom of Stonewall was in the city enroute to Tishomingo Friday.

Judge and Mrs. C. A. Galbraith entertained the Forty-two Club Friday evening.

Master Travis Kerr, who was injured by falling from a horse last Wednesday is recovering.

For forty years it has not faded. See Mason's window. 151-tf

Revs. D. J. Austin and T. B. Harrell begin a revival meeting with the Baptist church at Stonewall.

See Ada Hardware Co.'s heating stove display. 157-tf

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rollow left for Indianola to see a race who is reported critically ill.

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Now just be honest and admit that you did read Ingram's ad about the wall paper. 157-tf

Best for school, best for social and business correspondence. See Mason's window. 151-tf

Prof. T. W. Lawson was here from Allen today. He is helping conduct the government school there this term.

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Church Notice.

The regular services will be held tomorrow at the First Baptist church. The Sunday school will meet at 10 a. m., and all the members of the school are requested to be present. Preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

Now the election, which has absorbed the attention of the people for some time, is over, our people are urged to fall into line again, and set our church work to moving as it should. A cordial invitation is given to everybody to attend the meetings tomorrow.

T. B. Harrell, Pastor.

Whipped Boy too Hard?

Prof. T. W. Lawson started to teach the Egypt school, but after one week's teaching it was found no appropriation had been made to run the school. But during the week the professor whipped one of the school boys, one Joe Smith, by name. His parents claim the punishment was inhumanly severe, cutting the skin and bringing the blood.

As a sequel to the whipping Mr. Lawson is standing trial in commissioner's court this (Saturday) afternoon for assault and battery. The Egypt neighborhood is attending the trial en masse.

Died.

Mrs. A. E. Marks, at noon Saturday, died, of pulmonary trouble at the home of her son, R. O. Lawrence. Mrs. Marks was 61 years and seven months old.

Funeral services will be held at the First Methodist church, 3 p. m. Sunday, followed by interment in Rose-dale cemetery.

The Frisco-man.

Local employes of the Frisco Ry. have received copies of the initial number of the "Frisco-Man," a monthly magazine filled with matter of particular interest to railroad men. The company publishes the periodical and sends it gratis to its employes.

Too Rainy for Badger.

On account of the inclement weather there was no badger fight last night. Badgers don't put up much of a fight in rainy weather, because then the crowd is too small. They perform well only to a crowded house.

ANY SANE LEVEL HEADED MAN OR WOMAN

who will examine the Beckwith Round Oak Coal Heater can readily see why it has made its mark as the best coal heater on earth. Ada Hardware Co. 157-tf

Today's Cotton Market.

Futures unchanged. Spots 5 points off in New York, unchanged in New Orleans.

Cotton on Ada's streets sold for 12 cents. Receipts, about 40 bales.

Ladies.

I am dressmaking at Reed & Harrison's store and solicit your patronage. Terms reasonable. 157-6t Mrs. Josie Pierce.

Uncle Dick Couch has been quite busy the last few days taking care of the fruits of the excessive drunkenness in the city. He said the boys had just as well cut it out, for I am going to get them every time they get too much. It is a pity the other fellow is not taken care of more than he is. The man who sells to the man made drunk is the real violator.

For Sale—Drainage Tile, three inch and six inch, at Sledge Lumber yard. Ada Pressed Brick and Tile Co. 148-tf

The Buck Air Tight Heater for wood is the most sightly and best all-time fire keeper that has been offered at a moderate price—your money back if you don't say so too. Ada Hardware Co. 157-tf

Regular services at the First Methodist church tomorrow morning and evening. The pastor will preach both times. Let all the members be present at the morning service. T. L. Rippey, Pastor.

Judge Alexander Gullet is here from Tishomingo no legal matters. The judge will represent the government in prosecution of criminal cases at this term of court.

FOR RENT—Three room dwelling house, with porch additions, a barn and good water, located close in for \$8 per month. Otis B. Weaver.

Hon. J. C. Little, state senator-elect from Sulphur, is in Ada today. He wears the genial smile even broader than of yore.

E. L. Weatherbee, the Independence, Kans., oil and gas man, is in the city again to observe the progress of the well north of town.

Only two fresh drunks were on the mayor's docket this morning—one Indian and one white.



DON'T FORGET THE BABIES

Our candies are guaranteed pure under the Food and Drugs Act June 30, 1906.

The little fellows can hardly believe their eyes, for you know we sell 20c and 25c candy at 12c a pound.

The following just in. Cream Dates, Coconut Bon Bons, Ice Cream Kisses, Peppermint Kisses, Wild Cherry Gum Drops, Cream Chocolate, Coconut Ice Berge, Cream Fudge, Marshmallow Drops, Fruit Drops, etc. Try for yourself, only 12c a pound.

The bell will soon be summoning the youngsters back to school. The beginning of school always means a decided added expense for the children's outfitting. We intend to maintain the reputation of this store as headquarters for school books, and school supplies. How much you can save the prices will show.

Tablets, perforated and wire stapled, 200 pages, 5c. Bargains in Pencils, some extra good ones at 2 for 5c, 3 for 5c, and at 5 for 5c.

Slates, 5c, 10c, and 14c. Composition Books, both for pencil and pen kind, 5c and 10c. Ink, the reliable Curtis, Stanfords and Livison brands, 5c a bottle.

We are school headquarters—more this year than ever.

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First Presbyterian Church.

Preaching tomorrow at 11 a. m. and 8:15 p. m. Junior Christian Endeavor at 4 p. m. Sabbath school at 10 a. m. All are invited to attend these services. There will be a congregational meeting after the preaching service.

C. E. Robertson, Pastor.

First Christian Church.

There will be regular services at the First Christian church tomorrow. Sunday school at 9:45. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The Junior Builders will meet again at 3 p. m. All the children are invited.

E. L. Kirtley, Minister.

Notices.

On account of C. P. Little retiring from business all persons owing us past accounts will please call and settle them at once. The business will be continued by L. J. Little.

Respectfully,

23 152 10-1 LITTLE BROS.

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Our Heating Stoves display has no equal in the city. Our stoves combine both elegance and quality. Inspect our line now and prepare for approaching winter. Ada Hardware Co. 157-tf

Studying is Hard on the



Most children sit improperly when they study and throw the book page into a bad light. Those with weak eyes will suffer. Prevent this by having your child's eyes examined free here and get proper glasses from us if they are needed.

C. J. Warren

EXPERT OPTICIAN

In Commissioner's Court.

U. S. Court Commissioner U. G. Winn has had a busy run of business the latter end of this week. The following are some of the cases disposed of:

U. S. vs. B. E. Polk, introducing and selling, held under \$300 bond which was given.

U. S. vs. Tobe Bailey, 3 cases, disturbance of the peace, of worship, and weapon. Plea of guilty.

U. S. vs. Will Watson, introducing and selling, \$300 bond required, given. Four cases of gaming. Plea of guilty, fines assessed and paid.

U. S. vs. Jim Goodson, Six cases, dismissed because of defendant's death.

U. S. vs. Colson Flore, grand larceny, dismissed. Weapon, dismissed on payment of costs.

U. S. vs. Enoch Jones, 3 cases—peace, worship and weapon. Plea of guilty.

G. L. and Eric Burgess, larceny, dismissed. Malicious mischief, dismissed on payment of costs.

J. L. Adams, assault to kill, dismissed. Breach of peace, plea of guilty, fine paid.

No Train to Roff.

It's a sore disappointment to the democrats that they have been unable to get a special train to take the crowd down to Roff for the big election ratification tonight. On account of scarcity of engines, Agent McNair thinks it impossible to get a train.

If the 8:23 train is not too late tonight some of the crowd will go down on that.

New Traveling Freight Agent.

W. A. Walton, traveling freight agent of the Frisco, has resigned his position to take charge of the transportation department and cotton bureau at Fort Worth. He is to be succeeded by R. R. Nelson. The two went the night in Ada the latter getting acquainted with the affairs of the local office.

Notice, Contributors.

Those who have subscribed to the Pontotoc campaign fund are urged to hand the amount to A. M. Croxton or to Carlton Weaver of the committee. The accounts must be settled immediately, and there is shortage of funds. Those who have not contributed may do so yet, by seeing the committee.

Respectfully, Campaign Committee. 157-2t

Automobiles.

Slightly used, four cylinder touring car, good as new, completely refinished and painted. A bargain for quick sale. Also two cylinder touring car, repainted and in first-class condition. A snap.

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We guarantee every sack of our White Wonder flour to give perfect satisfaction for bread, biscuits and all kinds of pastry.

If our White Wonder flour is not found as represented we will deem it a favor to allow us to refund your money and make everything satisfactory.

School Boys and Girls Notice.

We have just received a number of convenient size school satchels, ordered for distribution in the schools, and which we will gladly give to all school boys and girls who bring into this bank a corrected list of the misspelled words as appears in our advertisement in this paper.

This proposition is extended to those who are in grades up to and including the eighth.

Yours truly, Ada National Bank.

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Romance Might Be Written on the Work of Circulating
the World's "Best-Seller."

WHEN all is said it is the Bible that is the world's "best selling book"—and that by a tremendous margin. It takes a tremendously successful novel to sell 40,000 or 50,000 copies in a year, whereas this record is easily beaten by the Bible in a single day the world over! Last year 16,000,000 copies, translated into a vast babel of nearly 500 tongues, were scattered broadcast over the earth.

The American and British Bible societies led the way with nearly 9,000,000 between them. It is hard to realize the magnitude of vast a work.

John Williams was 20 long years among the savages of Tahiti in the Pacific before he could produce even the New Testament in the islanders' own tongue. And old Bishop Scherrenschewsky spent one-third of his long life doing the Bible into the "Easy Wenli," a dialect of Chinese, that opened up Christian truths to 70,000,000 of the Celestial people.

Then there was the romance of Hiram Bingham. This man went out to the Gilbert group in mid-Pacific, and cast himself among South Sea cannibals as a Bible translator, with no written language at all, and no one to teach him. Day by day, this pioneer gathered words of common usage from the natives' lips and spent years comparing and verifying his written notes.

Translating for Cannibals.
At last he was able to put the Lord's Prayer and a simple Psalm into the Gilbert tongue. Later on came the Gospels, and so on. But the first edition of such a Bible is necessarily full of errors. More than \$15,000 was recently spent in correcting the Lifu Bible for the Loyalty islands, and it was found necessary to make the enormous number of 52,310 corrections.

But, after all, perhaps the most stirring tales of all are those recording the adventures of the vast army of pioneers that distribute the Bibles after they are translated and shipped to the local depots, in all the continents of the world. Bible cargoes go crashing on elephants through the jungles of Africa and Siam; or on queer little

ture ranging from lightning to tempestuous seas. The American Bible society alone employs four or five hundred white men in savage or remote lands, literally from China to Peru. These in turn employ great numbers of native colporteurs who travel inland upon waterways, over mountains, and through forests, with their packs on their backs or with strange caravans of laden men or beasts.

Brave All Dangers.

The experiences of the Revs. Bear and Turner in the Philippines would alone fill a volume of varied adventure. Night and day on one tour they traveled through almost impassable swamps in clumsy ox carts, and barely escaped drowning more than once while descending swift rapids on a rudely built raft.

In South America, from the Equator to Cape Horn, the Bible carriers are on the march, and the political revolutions, wars, storms, poisonous reptiles, and a thousand other obstacles only increase their enthusiasm. The Bible is carried into the camel-hair tents of the wandering Bedouin Arabs of Syria, and if these men are not able to read classical Arabic then they have Bibles in their own dialect for which they pay—coined money being unknown to them—in butter, eggs, milk, horns, and brass ornaments.

Steamship and train are but the first step in transportation. Then come little sailing vessels among the coral islands of the Pacific; canoes and houseboats for Indo-China and the west coast of Africa; bullocks and ox carts in South Africa; dogs and sledges with fur-clothed drivers above the arctic circle; patient asses; long-necked supercilious camels; smartly stepping llamas for rough mountain passes; pack horses, hard-headed negro porters, and a hundred other methods of transport, according to the region.

The work of a colporteur is one of terrible risk to life and limb. His Bible-laden boat may be man-hauled through the rapids and gorges of the giant Yangtze, only to come to grief on the rocks; whereupon he must unload and camp upon the desolate bank, getting what shelter he may

more markets; in "wads" or temples, where the silver bells tinkle from on high; in opium dens and gambling houses, too, and remote villages, whose inhabitants live in pile-built houses, or in trees in case of attack by hostile tribes.

Turning for a moment to the far-stretching Philippine group, we find the Rev. Mr. Milloy almost hewing his way through impassable tropical growths, haranguing amazed crowds in fluent Tagalog at fiestas and cock fights, and selling them the Scriptures in their own tongue.

In the interior of Cuba travels Senor Torres, an old and tried Bible porter whose adventures would fill another book. Once, on coming back from Moron after having visited 68 towns, villages, and hamlets, Senor Torres' sailboat was capsized, and lashing himself to the mast for four days he and his little crew oscillated between life and death. Another agent, reporting from the interior of Bolivia, where there are no roads at all and wheeled conveyances are impossible, carried his Bibles 1,000 miles on muleback, while another covered 22,000 miles in fourteen months, selling 8,573 books for \$2,353.

Paying for Bible in Eggs.

One of the most interesting workers is Mr. Archibald Forder, who from his headquarters in Jerusalem, car-

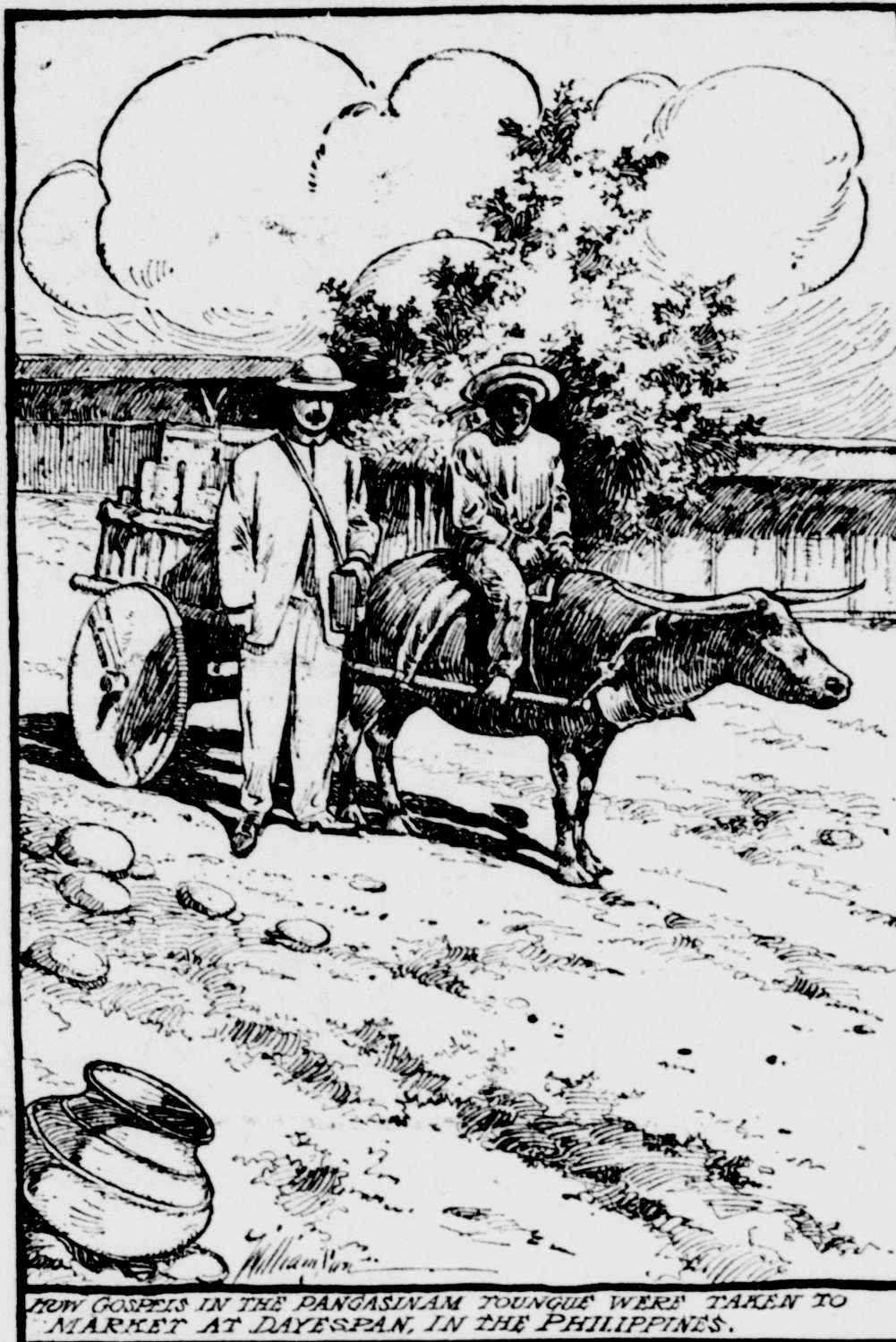
Lastly we have adventurous F. A. Larson, a Bible sub-agent in the Mongolian deserts. He travels eastward by camel caravan from Kashgar, taking with him all necessary provisions, besides cooking utensils and barrels for carrying water over the arid steppes.

Wolves Ate Packhorse.

On one occasion a native assistant of Larson's was set upon by robbers, who beat him and took away his horse and saddle as well as his pack of books. Larson bought another animal in Urga for 28 taels—about \$19. "But this one the wolves ate where he was tethered outside our camel-hair tent."

Here, then, is a world labor of patient scholarship; of heroism far from the limelight; of business acumen and organization, that may well awaken the interest of the most blasé. And vast sums are spent upon the work. The last revision of the Malagasy Bible for the Madagascar natives cost \$15,000; and the Chinese Bible from first to last has probably cost \$250,000. Taking the British and Foreign Bible society of London, with the American Bible society and similar bodies throughout Europe, it is safe to say that not less than \$7,000,000 a year is spent upon the work, and well over \$120,000,000 during the last century.

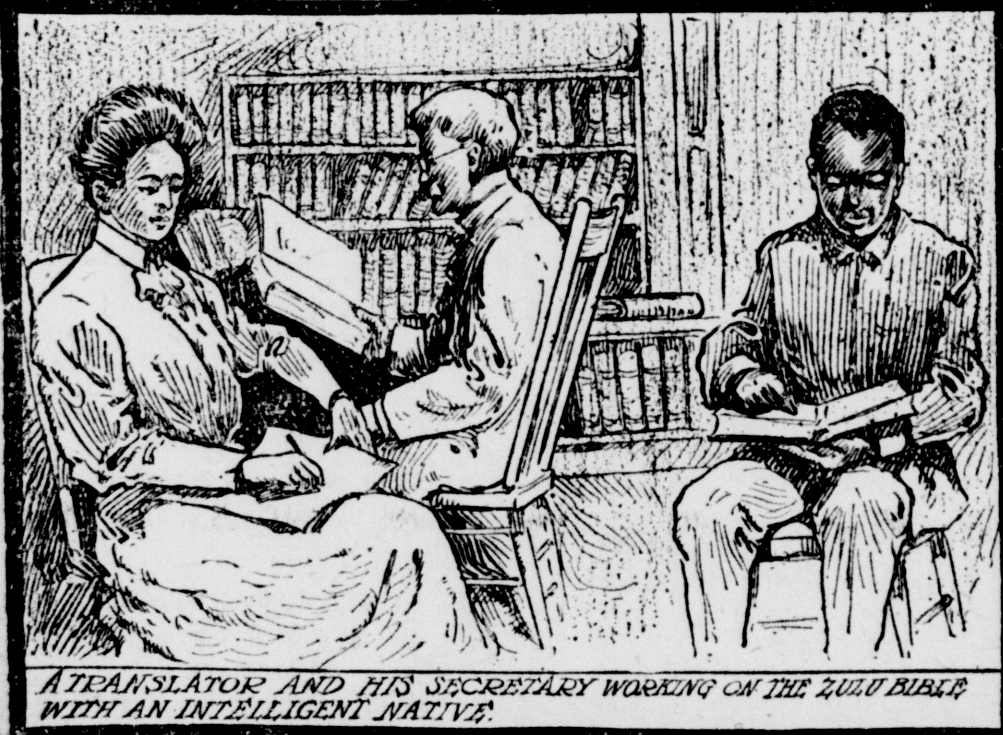
The parent society in London maintains nearly 1,500 representative linguists, missionaries and native assist-



REV. COOPER IN THE PANGASINAN TONGUE WERE TAKEN TO MARKET AT DAYESEN, IN THE PHILIPPINES.



PEKIN HEADQUARTERS—CASES OF BIBLES IN THE VARIOUS DIALECTS OF CHINA STARTING FOR THE INTERIOR.



A TRANSLATOR AND HIS SECRETARY WORKING ON THE ZULU BIBLE WITH AN INTELLIGENT NATIVE.

llamas over the great passes of the Andes between Bolivia and Peru; or again on the heads of cannibal coolies around the base of the Mountains of the Moon, near the source of old Father Nile; on camel-back across the burning deserts of Nubia and Arabia the Story; or in flat-bottomed boats towed by man-hauled bamboo cables, through the stupendous gorges of the Yangtze.

The men who do this work are trained explorers who often fall by the way victims to wild beasts, disease, hostile savages, and the forces of na-

ture from a few tarpaulins, until help arrives from Ichang or some other considerable town.

Robbery Is Frequent.

In Asiatic Turkey the patient Bible man with his pack on his back is often attacked by Kurdish brigands, or robbed in overcrowded khans, where he has perhaps stayed a night or two, delayed by the terrible roads and broken bridges. In Siam and the Laos states at this moment the Rev. John Carrington is traveling on elephants and through devious waterways by boat, circulating the Scriptures in re-

ries Bibles to the Arab tribes east of the Jordan, and in the Arabian desert. They pay for the book in eggs. From Bangkok, in Siam, we hear from the Rev. John Carrington, who works the whole of this remote empire. It must have been awkward when one of his buffaloes, hitched to a cart containing Testaments in Siamese and Laos, suddenly bolted and scattered boxes and beds along the swampy track for half a mile.

Or, again, we find Mr. Carrington using tiger skins for the binding of his Bibles, and holding weird auction sales of his books under the tamarind trees of Samoi Island, 300 miles down the west coast of the Gulf of Siam, says a writer in the New York Times. I can but briefly touch on the adventures of William Loughton in his boat on the Yangtze, which he rented for 330 taels and then loaded up with Bibles, only to run on some rocks and become a total wreck. Indeed, were it not for the skill of the native trackers and "towers" in handling the bamboo pumps it is possible that Mr. Loughton would have lost his Bibles, if not his life.

In many instances the book is thought to possess magical attributes. Among the Mbandu people, in Central Africa, an old man bought a Bible and said: "Would it be safe for me to keep this book in the house, or must I build a place for it out-doors?"

Nor are dark tragedies unknown among the Bible pioneers. The Rev. H. J. Johnson once dropped down the great Yangtze in a houseboat laden with Testaments. He was accompanied only by a trusted Chinese colporteur. For nineteen years nothing more was heard of either. Then the tragic story came to light. Johnson and his man had landed at an inland town to sell their Bibles. But the first night a fire broke out and burned down many houses with much loss of life. Next day native mischief-makers attributed the disaster to the evil influence of the "Foreign Devil!" And before the white man and his assistant could get back to their houseboat they were set upon by a mob and murdered with every circumstance of cruelty.

Turning to bleak Siberia, we find an unobtrusive hero and his wife sailing on an open raft with half a ton of Scriptures down the great Lena river. "Great vigilance was necessary," he says, "for many murders had been committed by the wild tribes. I would sleep from 11 p. m. to 2 a. m., where my wife watched. Then as soon as it was dawn she lay down and slept."

ants, organized into committees the world over. Their work is supervised and financed from headquarters, where editorial sub-committees composed of eminent philological experts meet every month. In one year such a committee will have matters before it in 200 different languages! In fact the diversity of the world's speech is a staggering thing when one goes into it. Last year the Scriptures were sold in 20 different tongues in the Austrian Empire, and 50 in Russia!

Our hundreds of thousands of polyglot immigrants are met on the very threshold of the Land of Liberty and a Bible is put into their hands in their own tongue, whether it be Greek or Magyar, Polish or Japanese, Gaelic or Croat, Arabic or Chinese. There are scores of languages into which the Bible has been done that you never heard of. Aside from the translations into Cherokee and Choctaw, one runs one's eye in bewilderment down the list, taking in such dialects as Ruk and Ponape, Dikele John, Samogit, Visayan, Ilocano, Bicol, Pangasinan, Tagalog, Arrawack and Sheetswa!

Forced to Change Phrases.

In a great number of cases an entire literature has to be formed and a language reduced to writing before anything can be done at all. And there are difficulties which you or I would never suspect. Thus when translating the New Testament into Eskimo the phrase "Lamb of God" had to be rendered "Little Dog," otherwise it would have been entirely meaningless to the little fur-clad men who have never seen a sheep!

And of course there is no thought of profit. Our Bible society sells a well-made Gospel in his own tongue to a Congo cannibal for the equivalent of 2 cents; a New Testament for 5, and a complete Bible for 15 cents. All kinds of "money" are taken in exchange, ranging from ivory tusks to a basket of bread-fruit, a few leopard skins, or even a baby camel.

Long before Tibet was opened by the British, the New Testament was being printed in Tibetan at Ghoom, high up in the Himalayas, and carried back and forth to Lhasa by Hindu and Buddhist traders. Only Abyssinia and Nepal are now closed to the Bible army; but it is thought that the old Emperor Menelik at least will soon capitulate. At all events, he recently sent a magnificent pair of elephant's tusks to the British Bible house in London, with a flowery letter in Amharic from "The Conquering Lion of Judah, Menelik the Second, Emperor of Ethiopia by the Will of God."

Wife of German Ambassador



Before her marriage to the Baron Speck Von Sternberg, Ambassador from Germany, the Baroness was a noted Kentucky belle; she is regarded as the most beautiful woman in official life at Washington.

AIRSHIP IS LIKE HEN

FARMER GETS IDEA FOR FLYING
DEVICE FROM ROOSTER.

Movement of Chanticleer Balancing
on Thumb Illustrates Principle
on Which Ingenious Machine
Is Modeled by Him.

New York.—How does a rooster balance himself on a man's thumb?

He sticks out his head, shifts and extends his wings, which are lateral aeroplanes, and then elevates or depresses his tail. By causing his favorite chanticleer on his farm, near Fort Plain, to go through various experiments on this phalangeal roost, William Morgan has evolved a flying machine which he now hopes to send through the air.

He has a small model, which he sends hither and thither, and it has the movement of a surprised chicken just shooed from its perch. The small model, which he has patented, can be made to fly at any time, by simply winding up the rubber bands which form the motive power of the two propellers in front.

Of the big air ship its inventor said, when seen at the Victoria Hotel, a Bowery lodging-house:

"I would have it merely skim along. It would, of course, have abundant

space to clear the 20-foot propellers from the earth. It does not need a gas bag. There are two large propellers in front and the machine can be steered by varying their number of revolutions.

"It is kept up by the motion of the propellers, and when they cease to move the aeroplanes take such a position that the machine cannot come down hard, but will settle gradually."

Mr. Morgan flew his small model for the delectation of his fellow lodgers in the Bowery caravansary. The inventor was formerly in the cigar business and he also manufactured a hair restorer.

Polar Bear Steak.
According to Max Fleischman, who has not only killed polar bears, but has eaten the same, the meat was fairly palatable, although it was necessary to cut it into very thin strips and hammer it thoroughly before broiling in order to get the blubbery taste out of it.

"In addition to this precaution," says Mr. Fleischman in the National Geographic Magazine, "I would advise that a plentiful admixture of onions be used in broiling fresh bear meat, and if the onions are strong enough and one has a penchant for onions one won't really mind bear steak. It is the opinion of the writer and also of the ship surgeon, who was the taster of all new food, that young seal is a great deal more palatable than bear meat."

"WILD" MAN IS ARRESTED.

Was Dancing Without Clothes in the
Shadow of a Market House.

Baltimore, Md.—A man rushed up to Patrolman Geraghty as he was patrolling Pratt street, shortly after 1 o'clock in the morning, and exclaimed: "Officer, officer! there's a wild man up the street there." The patrolman, guided, or rather forwarded by the excited citizen, who kept a good twenty paces in the rear, walked up Market space for about fifty yards, and then Geraghty saw that there was really something capering about in the shadows of the Market house.

For a moment the policeman regarded the queer object, and then, taking his espantoon, advanced. The capering figure was that of a man, short and muscularly built, and without a stitch of clothing on him. He did not perceive the policeman until the latter touched him on the shoulder and then he turned only to find his arms

pinioned. For a few moments Geraghty struggled with the nude figure, but finally placed nippers on his wrists and mastered him. The prisoner was taken to the Central police station. His name, he said, was Joseph Florio. He is 48 years old, and a native of Italy. For a time he appeared to be in his right mind, and admitted that he had been drinking heavily. Then he became incoherent again, and said the "spirits told him to take off his clothes and dance."

A second-hand suit of clothes was given to Florio, but he tore them nearly all off before he was brought before Justice Grannan for a hearing this morning. Justice Grannan fined him \$5 and costs on the charge of being drunk on the street, and committed him to jail in default of payment. Florio appears to be well educated, and between his ravings spoke in English, German, French and Spanish.

A MILITARY ROAD TO YUKON

Canada Is Building 1,600 Mile Trail to
Back Door of Gold Region.

Edmonton, B. C.—An important work that is being carried on by the Dominion government in the Canadian northwest, concerning which people in general know but little, is the building of a military road from this city to the Yukon territory. For two years the construction has been under way in charge of the royal northwest mounted police.

From Edmonton the road stretches 70 miles away to Fort St. John on the Peace river, and then takes an almost direct course over the Rocky mountains for 200 miles to Fort Graham, in British Columbia, and thence in a northwesterly direction for 700 miles more to Atlin. This long trail of 1,600 miles lies through a region but little civilized, and where nature at times opposes her sterile barriers.

It is not a wide road—only eight feet—and at regular intervals of 20 miles small log houses are erected as halting places. The principal work so far has been from the eastern side of the Rocky mountains, and last fall the construction party, under the command of Capt. Camica, reached Fort Graham, where they have wintered. This summer, another party of workmen, under Inspector McDonald of Whitehorse, will push the work from

Atlin until the two forces meet, which they hope to do before winter.

And the purpose of it is because one of Canada's richest treasure houses, the golden Klondike, lies cooped up beyond the great mountains. The two front doors to this country lie in the United States territory of Alaska—one opening in from Skagway by means of the White pass and Yukon railway, the other further north, the estuary of the Yukon river at St. Michael.

Something Substantial.
Did you ever try egg soup. No? Then you have lived in vain. Beat thoroughly six strictly fresh eggs. Add one quart of good cream and season with butter, pepper and salt. Simmer. When thick enough, serve with grissini broken in short bits, or, if you can not get the stick bread, with toasted dice made of yesterday's bread. You can not imagine anything more palatable or nourishing in this weather or in any other weather.

Not the Music He Loved.
Mrs. Talkmore—"Your husband is a great lover of music, isn't he?" Mrs. Chatters—"Yes, indeed. I have seen him get up in the middle of the night and try to compose." Mrs. T.—"What?" Mrs. C.—"The baby."—Stray Stories.